

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 2022

FORTY-NINTH LEGISLATIVE DAY

The House met at 9:00 a.m. and was called to order by Mr. Speaker Sexton.

The proceedings were opened with prayer by Bill Geisle, Capitol Commission, Knoxville, TN.

Representative Powers led the House in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

RECOGNITION IN THE WELL

Representative Powers was recognized in the Well to introduce the Roberts Sisters who sang the National Anthem.

ROLL CALL

The roll call was taken with the following results:

Present..... 94

Representatives present were Alexander, Baum, Beck, Boyd, Bricken, Byrd, Calfee, Campbell S, Camper, Carringer, Casada, Cepicky, Chism, Clemmons, Cochran, Crawford, Curcio, Darby, Doggett, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Freeman, Gant, Garrett, Gillespie, Griffey, Grills, Hakeem, Halford, Hall, Hardaway, Haston, Hawk, Hazlewood, Helton, Hicks G, Hicks T, Hodges, Holsclaw, Howell, Hulse, Hurt, Jernigan, Johnson C, Johnson G, Keisling, Kumar, Lafferty, Lamar, Lamberth, Leatherwood, Littleton, Love, Lynn, Mannis, Marsh, McKenzie, Miller, Mitchell, Moody, Moon, Ogles, Parkinson, Powell, Powers, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rudd, Rudder, Russell, Sexton J, Shaw, Sherrell, Smith, Sparks, Stewart, Terry, Thompson, Todd, Towns, Travis, Vaughan, Vital, Warner, Weaver, White, Whitson, Williams, Windle, Wright, Zachary, Mr. Speaker Sexton -- 94

EXCUSED

The Speaker announced that the following members have been excused, pursuant to requests under **Rule No. 20**:

Representative Carr; illness

Representative Cooper; illness

Representative Potts

This is a draft version of the House Journal and is to be considered UNOFFICIAL. It will become the official record of the House after it has been adopted by the House.

COMMUNICATION
February 16, 2022

Stephanie G. Vanterpool, MD, MBA, FASA
1934 Alcoa Hwy., Bldg. D-474
Knoxville, TN 37920

Re: Tennessee Opioid Abatement Council

Dear Dr. Vanterpool,

This letter is to inform you, acting pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated, § 33-11-103, I am appointing you to serve as a member of the Tennessee Opioid Abatement Council. Your term begins immediately, ends June 30, 2025, and is served at the pleasure of the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as the appointing authority.

I am forwarding a copy of this letter to Commissioner Marie Williams of the Department of Mental Health & Substance Abuse Services. Commissioner Williams's office will be contacting you in the near future regarding this appointment.

I am confident that you will perform the duties of the office with the high standard of professionalism, dedication, and integrity that the citizens of Tennessee deserve and expect of their public servants.

Best Wishes,

/s/ Speaker Cameron Sexton

cc: Lt. Gov. Randy McNally
Commissioner Marie Williams – Department of Mental Health & Substance Abuse Services
Kevin Johnson
Jade Cooper
Spenser Carder
Connie Ridley
Karen Garrett
Anastasia Campbell
Tammy Letzler

**COMMUNICATION
February 16, 2022**

Sheriff Casey Cox
90 Justice Center Drive
Crossville, TN 38555

Re: Tennessee Opioid Abatement Council

Dear Sheriff Cox,

This letter is to inform you, acting pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated, § 33-11-103, I am appointing you to serve as a member of the Tennessee Opioid Abatement Council. Your term begins immediately, ends June 30, 2025, and is served at the pleasure of the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as the appointing authority.

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COMMUNICATION
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Wayne Wykoff
320 Willow Walk Ln.
Knoxville, TN 37922

Re: Tennessee Opioid Abatement Council

Dear Mr. Wykoff,

This letter is to inform you, acting pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated, § 33-11-103, I am appointing you to serve as a member of the Tennessee Opioid Abatement Council. Your term begins immediately, ends June 30, 2025, and is served at the pleasure of the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as the appointing authority.

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SPONSORS ADDED

Under **Rule No. 43**, the following members were permitted to add their names as sponsors as indicated below, the prime sponsor of each having agreed to such addition:

House Joint Resolution No. 690 Rep. White as prime sponsor.

House Joint Resolution No. 810 Reps. Ragan and Whitson as prime sponsors.

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House Joint Resolution No. 811 Rep. Sparks as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 233 Rep. Cepicky as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 477 Reps. Leatherwood, Vaughan and Gillespie as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 519 Rep. Darby as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1025 Reps. Hulse and Sherrell as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 1077 Rep. White as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1209 Rep. Jernigan as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1214 Rep. Powell as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1218 Rep. Lamberth as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1439 Rep. Griffey as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1651 Reps. Lamberth, C. Johnson, Marsh, Faison, Gant, C. Sexton, Garrett and Griffey as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 1652 Rep Thompson as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1686 Rep. T. Hicks as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1698 Reps. Hodges, Thompson, Mannis, Sherrell, Harris, Ramsey and Whitson as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 1712 Rep. Reedy as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1749 Reps. Lafferty, Zachary, Eldridge and Carringer as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 1765 Rep. Ramsey as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1830 Rep. Hardaway as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1832 Rep. Curcio as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1833 Rep. Gillespie as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1839 Rep. Lamberth as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1870 Reps. Weaver, J. Sexton, Rudd, Griffey and Lynn as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 1871 Rep. Lynn as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1886 Reps. Moon and Vaughan as prime sponsors.

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House Bill No. 1893 Rep. Faison as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1910 Reps. Lynn and Whitson as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 1944 Rep. Keisling as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1946 Rep. Thompson as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1954 Reps. Sparks, Wright, J. Sexton, Doggett, Eldridge, Warner, Kumar and Campbell as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 1958 Reps. White, Whitson, Lamberth and Lynn as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 1973 Rep. Dixie as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1981 Rep. Sherrell as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2045 Rep. Freeman as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2046 Reps. Ramsey, Freeman and Littleton as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 2050 Reps. Hulseley and Warner as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 2057 Rep. Hawk as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2087 Reps. Moon and Gillespie as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2098 Reps. Sherrell, J. Sexton and Russell as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 2126 Reps. Whitson, Reedy and Vital as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 2128 Reps. Hulseley, Rudd and Boyd as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 2131 Rep. Terry as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2177 Rep. Freeman as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2178 Rep. Reedy as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2199 Reps. Griffey, Weaver, Warner, Hulseley and Rudd as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 2201 Rep. Gant as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2203 Reps. Hulseley and Warner as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 2267 Rep. White as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2290 Reps. Weaver, Hulseley, Rudd, Griffey and J. Sexton as prime sponsors.

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House Bill No. 2305 Rep. Hulsey as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2321 Reps. Reedy and Rudder as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 2348 Rep. Smith as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2409 Reps. Keisling, Hodges and Whitson as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 2416 Reps. Kumar and Warner as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 2429 Reps. Gillespie and Gant as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 2506 Reps. Warner, Rudd, Hulsey and Griffey as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 2510 Rep. Kumar as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2533 Rep. Jernigan as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2562 Reps. Hodges and Helton as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 2563 Rep. Hazlewood as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2587 Rep. Vital as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2605 Reps. White, Moon, Leatherwood and Vaughan as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 2608 Rep. Vaughan as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2659 Rep. Rudd as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2713 Rep. Faison as First prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2761 Reps. Vital and Reedy as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 2770 Rep. Byrd as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2788 Rep. Powell as First prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2789 Rep. Powell as First prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2835 Reps. Warner, Hulsey and Rudd as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 2840 Reps. Gillespie, Parkinson and Thompson as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 2850 Reps. Harris, Ramsey, Hakeem, McKenzie, Moon, Dixie, Casada and Curcio as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 2860 Rep. Hawk as prime sponsor.

SPONSORS WITHDRAWN

On Motion, Rep. Vaughan withdrew as sponsor of **House Bill No. 2086**.

On Motion, Rep. Terry withdrew as sponsor of **House Bill No. 2510**.

On Motion, Rep. Hazlewood withdrew as sponsor of **House Bill No. 2608**.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE
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MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, Senate Joint Resolution No. 776; adopted, for the House's action.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 776** -- Naming and Designating - "Certified Government Financial Manager Month," March 2022. by *Roberts.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE
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MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the House, House Bills Nos. 1731 and 1844; substituted for Senate Bills on same subject and passed by the Senate.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE
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MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the House, House Joint Resolutions Nos. 769, 770, 771, 772 and 773; concurred in by the Senate.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE
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MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, Senate Bills Nos. 1658, 1670, 1680, 1686, 1697, 1700, 1705, 1713, 1717, 1718, 1719, 1733, 1742, 1751, 1752, 1793, 1868, and 1934; passed by the Senate.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

***Senate Bill No. 1658** -- Springfield - Subject to local approval, reduces the number of readings required for the passage of ordinances by the board of mayor and aldermen from three to two; raises the monetary limit on purchases that do not require competitive bidding from

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\$4,000 to \$25,000. - Amends Chapter 158 of the Private Acts of 1927; as amended and rewritten. by *Roberts. (HB2856 by *Kumar)

***Senate Bill No. 1670** -- Local Education Agencies - As introduced, requires that all school personnel, instead of only teachers, be trained at least once every three years on the detection, intervention, prevention, and treatment of human trafficking in which the victim is a child. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Gardenhire, *Crowe. (HB2341 by *Carringer)

Senate Bill No. 1680 -- Estates - As introduced, authorizes a probate court or chancery court to appoint a public receiver to determine and submit a recommendation to the court on the need for a temporary or permanent receiver over an estate; authorizes the court, upon a hearing on the report, to appoint a receiver with such powers as are necessary, consistent with those extended to receivers in absentees' estates. - Amends TCA Title 30. by *Gardenhire. (*HB1665 by *Smith)

Senate Bill No. 1686 -- Alcoholic Beverages - As introduced, creates a common carrier license to be issued by the alcoholic beverage commission to a person, firm, or corporation that transports goods for a fee and maintains a regularly established schedule of service within this state to transport wine from a winery direct shipper licensee or a fulfillment house licensee to residents of this state. - Amends TCA Title 57. by *Briggs. (*HB1688 by *Holsclaw)

***Senate Bill No. 1697** -- Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the board of examiners for nursing home administrators to June 30, 2027. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 63, Chapter 16. by *Roberts, *Watson. (HB1778 by *Ragan)

***Senate Bill No. 1700** -- Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the bureau of TennCare within the department of finance and administration to June 30, 2026. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 71. by *Roberts, *Crowe. (HB1781 by *Ragan)

***Senate Bill No. 1705** -- Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the department of agriculture to June 30, 2026; requires the department to report back to the commerce, labor, transportation and agriculture joint evaluation committee by December 31, 2022, to update the committee on its progress in addressing the findings set forth in the August 2021 performance audit report. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 4, Chapter 3. by *Roberts, *Crowe. (HB1786 by *Ragan)

***Senate Bill No. 1713** -- Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the housing development agency, board of directors to June 30, 2027. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 13, Chapter 23, Part 1. by *Roberts, *Crowe. (HB1794 by *Ragan)

***Senate Bill No. 1717** -- Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the local government planning advisory committee to June 30, 2023. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29; Title 4, Chapter 3, Part 7; Title 6, Chapter 58; Title 11; Title 13, Chapter 3, Part 1 and Title 67, Chapter 5. by *Roberts. (HB1798 by *Ragan)

***Senate Bill No. 1718** -- Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the pest control advisory board to June 30, 2026. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 62, Chapter 21. by *Roberts. (HB1799 by *Ragan)

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***Senate Bill No. 1719** -- Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the polysomnography professional standards committee to June 30, 2027. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 63, Chapter 31. by *Roberts. (HB1800 by *Ragan)

***Senate Bill No. 1733** -- Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the Tennessee fish and wildlife commission to June 30, 2026. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 70. by *Roberts, *Watson. (HB1814 by *Ragan)

***Senate Bill No. 1742** -- Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the Tennessee sports hall of fame to June 30, 2026. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 4, Chapter 3, Part 54. by *Roberts, *Crowe. (HB1823 by *Ragan)

***Senate Bill No. 1751** -- Law Enforcement - As introduced, authorizes a representative of the agency of government in which a peace officer served at the time of the officer's death to receive the Three Stars of Tennessee Award on the officer's behalf, provided there are no other surviving next of kin to receive the award; authorizes the commissioner of safety, in collaboration with the homeland security council, to promulgate rules regarding the selection and administration of the award. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 1, Part 5. by *Massey. (HB1734 by *Russell)

Senate Bill No. 1752 -- Disabled Persons - As introduced, replaces the phrase "deaf and dumb" with "deaf or hard of hearing" wherever it may appear in Tennessee Code Annotated. - Amends TCA Title 66, Chapter 23. by *Massey, *Gardenhire, *Campbell, *Powers, *Yarbro. (*HB1670 by *Jernigan, *Whitson, *Terry, *Marsh, *Sexton C)

Senate Bill No. 1793 -- Bail, Bail Bonds - As introduced, requires a court to revoke bail immediately, notwithstanding sentencing hearings, motions for a new trial, or related post-guilt determination hearings, for a defendant who is convicted of continuous sexual abuse of a child. - Amends TCA Title 40, Chapter 11, Part 1. by *Stevens. (*HB1766 by *Howell, *Hardaway, *Moody, *Beck, *Sexton J, *Lamberth, *Curcio, *Farmer, *Sherrell, *Griffey, *White)

***Senate Bill No. 1868** -- Insurance Companies, Agents, Brokers, Policies - As introduced, makes changes to the definition of "travel insurance" and related terms; requires a travel insurer to pay premium taxes on travel insurance premiums paid by certain policyholders; makes other changes related to travel insurance. - Amends TCA Title 56. by *Yager. (HB1925 by *Boyd)

***Senate Bill No. 1934** -- Cemeteries - As introduced, specifies that a trustee for an improvement care trust fund may establish a separate trust for each individual cemetery or cemetery company, or a master trust for multiple cemetery companies; specifies that a trustee for pre-need cemetery contracts may establish a separate trust fund for each contract, a single trust fund for all contracts written by an individual cemetery, or a single trust fund for all contracts written by multiple cemetery companies; makes other changes related to the establishment and management of an improvement care trust fund or a trust fund for a pre-need cemetery contract. - Amends TCA Title 35, Chapter 14 and Title 46, Chapter 1, Part 2. by *Jackson. (HB2352 by *Garrett)

ENGROSSED BILLS
February 15, 2022

MR. SPEAKER: The following bills have been examined, engrossed and are ready for transmission to the Senate: House Bills Nos. 1668, 1676, 1680, 1684, 1694, 1708, 1728, 1752 and 1902; House Joint Resolutions Nos. 791, 792, 793, 794, 795, 797, 798, 799, 800, 801, 802, 803, 804, 806, 808 and 809;

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE
February 15, 2022

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, Senate Joint Resolution No. 999; For the signature of the Speaker.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

SIGNED
February 15, 2022

The Speaker announced that he had signed the following: Senate Joint Resolution No. 999.

TAMMY LETZLER, Chief Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE
February 15, 2022

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the House, House Bill No. 920; signed by the Speaker.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

ENROLLED BILLS
February 15, 2022

MR. SPEAKER: Your Chief Engrossing Clerk begs leave to report that we have carefully compared House Joint Resolutions Nos. 769, 770, 771, 772 and 773; and find same correctly enrolled and ready for the signatures of the Speakers.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

SIGNED
February 15, 2022

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GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

**MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE
February 15, 2022**

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RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

**ENROLLED BILLS
February 15, 2022**

MR. SPEAKER: Your Chief Engrossing Clerk begs leave to report that we have carefully compared House Resolutions Nos. 143, 144 and 145; and find same correctly enrolled and ready for the signature of the Speaker.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

**SIGNED
February 15, 2022**

The Speaker announced that he had signed the following: House Resolutions Nos. 143, 144 and 145.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

**ENROLLED BILLS
February 15, 2022**

MR. SPEAKER: Your Chief Engrossing Clerk begs leave to report that we have carefully compared House Bills Nos. 1731 and 1844; and find same correctly enrolled and ready for the signatures of the Speakers.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

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MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, Senate Bills Nos. 1693, 1694, 1695, 1696, 1699, 1702, 1703, 1704, 1708, 1709, 1710, 1712, 1722, 1723, 1725, 1727, 1728, 1736, 1738, 1739, 1744, 1754 and 1820; For the signature of the Speaker.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

**SIGNED
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TAMMY LETZLER, Chief Clerk

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February 16, 2022

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 921, 922, 924, 935, 936, 937, 938, 939, 940, 941, 943, 944, 945, 946, 947, 948, 949, 950, 951, 952, 955, 957, 958, 959, 964, 965, 968 and 969; For the signature of the Speaker.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

SIGNED
February 16, 2022

The Speaker announced that he had signed the following: Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 921, 922, 924, 935, 936, 937, 938, 939, 940, 941, 943, 944, 945, 946, 947, 948, 949, 950, 951, 952, 955, 957, 958, 959, 964, 965, 968 and 969.

TAMMY LETZLER, Chief Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR
February 16, 2022

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed by the Governor to return herewith: House Joint Resolutions Nos. 741, 743, 745, 746, 747, 748, 750, 751, 758, 759, 761, 762, 763 and 764; with his approval.

KATELIN BROWN for JONATHAN SKRMETTI, Chief Counsel to the Governor

REPORT OF CHIEF ENGROSSING CLERK
February 16, 2022

MR. SPEAKER: Your Chief Engrossing Clerk begs leave to report that we have transmitted to the Governor the following: House Bill No. 920; House Joint Resolutions Nos. 769, 770, 771, 772 and 773; for his action.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE
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MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 971, 972, 973, 981, 982, 983, 984, 985, 986, 987, 989, 988, 990, 992 and 994; adopted, for the House's action.

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***Senate Joint Resolution No. 971** -- Memorials, Recognition - Pastor Roscoe Charles Gudger, Jr. by *Walley.

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 972** -- Memorials, Death - Charles Brantley "C.B." Kinch, Jr. by *Crowe.

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 973** -- Memorials, Death - Carol Gardner Transou. by *Crowe.

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 981** -- Memorials, Recognition - Clarksville Area Better Beef Show. by *Powers, *Haile.

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 982** -- Memorials, Recognition - Colonel Alfred J. "Jason" Fleming. by *Rose.

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 983** -- Memorials, Recognition - Richard Edmondson, Governor's Volunteer Stars Award. by *Rose.

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 984** -- Memorials, Recognition - Jordan Ashley Greene, Governor's Volunteer Stars Award. by *Rose, *Akbari.

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 985** -- Memorials, Recognition - Andy Berke, NTIA appointment. by *Yarbro, *Akbari.

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 986** -- Memorials, Death - Mike "Boots" Ford. by *Crowe, *Lundberg, *Akbari, *Bailey, *Bell, *Bowling, *Briggs, *Campbell, *Gardenhire, *Gilmore, *Haile, *Hensley, *Jackson, *Johnson, *Kelsey, *Kyle, *Massey, *Niceley, *Pody, *Powers, *Reeves, *Roberts, *Rose, *Southerland, *Stevens, *Walley, *Watson, *White, *Yager, *Yarbro, *McNally.

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 987** -- Memorials, Death - Dr. Donald Tarr. by *Crowe, *Lundberg, *Akbari, *Bailey, *Bell, *Bowling, *Briggs, *Campbell, *Gardenhire, *Gilmore, *Haile, *Hensley, *Jackson, *Johnson, *Kelsey, *Kyle, *Massey, *McNally, *Niceley, *Pody, *Powers, *Reeves, *Roberts, *Rose, *Southerland, *Stevens, *Walley, *Watson, *White, *Yager, *Yarbro.

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 989** -- Memorials, Professional Achievement - Kim Baker, 40 Under 40. by *Haile.

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 988** -- Memorials, Sports - Signal Mountain High School, State Duals Wrestling Title. by *Watson.

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 990** -- Memorials, Sports - Pekka Rinne. by *Campbell, *Akbari, *Yarbro.

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 992** -- Memorials, Recognition - Shannon Jarman, 2020 Tennessee Master Logger of the Year. by *Roberts.

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 994** -- Memorials, Death - Dr. Donald Ross Webb. by *Jackson.

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MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, Senate Joint Resolution No. 1086; adopted, for the House's action.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 1086** -- General Assembly, Recess & Reconvene - Recesses 112th General Assembly from Thursday, February 17, 2022, until Thursday, February 24, 2022. by *Johnson.

WELCOMING AND HONORING

RECOGNITION IN THE WELL

Representative Windle was recognized in the Well joined by Rep. Weaver, to honor the musical group Dailey and Vincent who sang "Talk About Suffering" and "I Left My Heart in Tennessee."

EXCUSED

The Speaker announced that the following member has been excused, pursuant to request under **Rule No. 20**:

Representative Gillespie

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

On motion, pursuant to **Rule No. 17**, the following resolutions listed were introduced and referred to the appropriate Committee:

***House Joint Resolution No. 813** -- General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment - Dr. Katharine M. Hickie, State Textbook and Instructional Materials Quality Commission. by *Crawford.

House Education Instruction Committee

***House Joint Resolution No. 848** -- General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment - Dr. Joe Deweese, Science and Social Studies Standards Recommendation Committee. by *Lamberth, *Gant, *Moody.

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House Education Instruction Committee

***House Joint Resolution No. 849** -- General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment - Leslie Clifton, Science and Social Studies Standards Recommendation Committee. by *Lamberth, *Gant, *Moody.

House Education Instruction Committee

***House Joint Resolution No. 850** -- General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment - Nisha Powers, Science and Social Studies Standards Recommendation Committee. by *Lamberth, *Gant, *Moody.

House Education Instruction Committee

***House Joint Resolution No. 851** -- General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment - Dr. Jodi Rump, Science and Social Studies Standards Recommendation Committee. by *Lamberth, *Gant, *Moody.

House Education Instruction Committee

RESOLUTIONS

Pursuant to **Rule No. 17**, the following resolutions were introduced and placed on the Consent Calendar for February 24, 2022:

***House Joint Resolution No. 814** -- Memorials, Professional Achievement - Trent McLees, South-Doyle High School, Teacher of the Year. by *Mannis.

***House Joint Resolution No. 815** -- Memorials, Professional Achievement - Katie DeVinney, South-Doyle High School, Teacher of the Year. by *Mannis.

***House Joint Resolution No. 816** -- Memorials, Professional Achievement - Caroline Daugherty, South-Doyle High School, Teacher of the Year. by *Mannis.

***House Joint Resolution No. 817** -- Memorials, Professional Achievement - Missy Ballenger, South-Doyle High School, Teacher of the Year. by *Mannis.

***House Joint Resolution No. 818** -- Memorials, Professional Achievement - Laura Roberts, West High School, Teacher of the Year. by *Mannis.

***House Joint Resolution No. 819** -- Memorials, Professional Achievement - Tabitha Rawlings, West High School, Teacher of the Year. by *Mannis.

***House Joint Resolution No. 820** -- Memorials, Professional Achievement - Gina Hodges, West High School, Teacher of the Year. by *Mannis.

***House Joint Resolution No. 821** -- Memorials, Professional Achievement - Kathleen Colbert, West High School, Teacher of the Year. by *Mannis.

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***House Joint Resolution No. 822** -- Memorials, Professional Achievement - Michelle Casini, West High School, Teacher of the Year. by *Mannis.

***House Joint Resolution No. 823** -- Memorials, Professional Achievement - Jennifer Northrop, Ridgedale School, Teacher of the Year. by *Mannis.

***House Joint Resolution No. 824** -- Memorials, Professional Achievement - Dr. Laure Ellerbusch, Ridgedale School, Teacher of the Year. by *Mannis.

***House Joint Resolution No. 825** -- Memorials, Professional Achievement - Melissa Thomasson, Bearden High School, Teacher of the Year. by *Mannis.

***House Joint Resolution No. 826** -- Memorials, Professional Achievement - Melinda Sims, Bearden High School, Teacher of the Year. by *Mannis.

***House Joint Resolution No. 827** -- Memorials, Professional Achievement - Nescha Lee, Bearden High School, Teacher of the Year. by *Mannis.

***House Joint Resolution No. 828** -- Memorials, Professional Achievement - Anna Graham, Bearden High School, Teacher of the Year. by *Mannis.

***House Joint Resolution No. 829** -- Memorials, Professional Achievement - Megan Christian, Bearden High School, Teacher of the Year. by *Mannis.

***House Joint Resolution No. 830** -- Memorials, Professional Achievement - Jane Valliant, West Hills Elementary School, Teacher of the Year. by *Mannis.

***House Joint Resolution No. 831** -- Memorials, Professional Achievement - Leanne Mannis, West Hills Elementary School, Teacher of the Year. by *Mannis.

***House Joint Resolution No. 832** -- Memorials, Professional Achievement - Rachel Reyes, Sequoyah Elementary School, Teacher of the Year. by *Mannis.

***House Joint Resolution No. 833** -- Memorials, Professional Achievement - Kacie Cunningham, Rocky Hill Elementary, Teacher of the Year. by *Mannis.

***House Joint Resolution No. 834** -- Memorials, Professional Achievement - Paige Blalock, Rocky Hill Elementary School, Teacher of the Year. by *Mannis.

***House Joint Resolution No. 835** -- Memorials, Professional Achievement - Amy Brantley, Mount Olive Elementary, Teacher of the Year. by *Mannis.

***House Joint Resolution No. 836** -- Memorials, Professional Achievement - Jennie Williams, Cedar Bluff Elementary School, Teacher of the Year. by *Mannis.

***House Joint Resolution No. 837** -- Memorials, Professional Achievement - Erica Rodgers-Wilkerson, Cedar Bluff Elementary School, Teacher of the Year. by *Mannis.

***House Joint Resolution No. 838** -- Memorials, Professional Achievement - Christy Martin, Cedar Bluff Elementary School, Teacher of the Year. by *Mannis.

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***House Joint Resolution No. 839** -- Memorials, Professional Achievement - Becca Labig, Cedar Bluff Elementary School, Teacher of the Year. by *Mannis.

***House Joint Resolution No. 840** -- Memorials, Professional Achievement - Lauren Fervier, Bonny Kate Elementary School, Teacher of the Year. by *Mannis.

***House Joint Resolution No. 841** -- Memorials, Retirement - Knoxville Police Chief Eve Thomas. by *Mannis.

***House Joint Resolution No. 843** -- Memorials, Personal Occasion - Jesse and Martha Ann Porter, 72nd wedding anniversary. by *Lamberth.

***House Joint Resolution No. 844** -- Memorials, Death - Hung Manh Nguyen. by *Moon, *Gillespie.

***House Joint Resolution No. 845** -- Memorials, Recognition - Clay County Fair, 2021 Class A Division State Champion Fair. by *Keisling.

***House Joint Resolution No. 846** -- Memorials, Retirement - Debbie Finch. by *Littleton.

***House Joint Resolution No. 847** -- Memorials, Recognition - Katie Collins, Governor's Volunteer Stars Award. by *Littleton.

***House Joint Resolution No. 852** -- Memorials, Sports - Waynesboro Middle School Wildcats, James C Haile Boys-AA State Champions. by *Byrd.

***House Joint Resolution No. 853** -- Memorials, Death - E.J. "Doc" Kreis. by *Powell.

***House Joint Resolution No. 854** -- Memorials, Retirement - Officer Sam Bady. by *Casada, *Ogles, *Whitson.

***House Joint Resolution No. 855** -- Memorials, Retirement - Emma Ann Summers Boynton. by *Travis.

***House Joint Resolution No. 856** -- Memorials, Recognition - Mission America Foundation. by *Grills.

***House Joint Resolution No. 857** -- Memorials, Recognition - Hamilton County Schools, a Tennessee Best for All District. by *Helton, *Hazlewood, *Smith, *Vital, *Hakeem.

***House Joint Resolution No. 858** -- Memorials, Recognition - Milli and Jackson Yium. by *Helton, *Hazlewood, *Smith, *Vital, *Hakeem.

***House Joint Resolution No. 859** -- Memorials, Recognition - Dare to Dance, 15th anniversary. by *Helton, *Hazlewood, *Smith, *Vital, *Hakeem.

**SENATE JOINT RESOLUTIONS
(Congratulatory and Memorializing)**

Pursuant to **Rule No. 17**, the resolutions listed were noted as being placed on the Consent Calendar for February 24, 2022:

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 971** -- Memorials, Recognition - Pastor Roscoe Charles Gudger, Jr. by *Walley.

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 972** -- Memorials, Death - Charles Brantley "C.B." Kinch, Jr. by *Crowe.

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 973** -- Memorials, Death - Carol Gardner Transou. by *Crowe.

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 981** -- Memorials, Recognition - Clarksville Area Better Beef Show. by *Powers, *Haile.

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 982** -- Memorials, Recognition - Colonel Alfred J. "Jason" Fleming. by *Rose.

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 983** -- Memorials, Recognition - Richard Edmondson, Governor's Volunteer Stars Award. by *Rose.

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 984** -- Memorials, Recognition - Jordan Ashley Greene, Governor's Volunteer Stars Award. by *Rose, *Akbari.

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 985** -- Memorials, Recognition - Andy Berke, NTIA appointment. by *Yarbro, *Akbari.

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 986** -- Memorials, Death - Mike "Boots" Ford. by *Crowe, *Lundberg, *Akbari, *Bailey, *Bell, *Bowling, *Briggs, *Campbell, *Gardenhire, *Gilmore, *Haile, *Hensley, *Jackson, *Johnson, *Kelsey, *Kyle, *Massey, *Niceley, *Pody, *Powers, *Reeves, *Roberts, *Rose, *Southerland, *Stevens, *Walley, *Watson, *White, *Yager, *Yarbro, *McNally.

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 987** -- Memorials, Death - Dr. Donald Tarr. by *Crowe, *Lundberg, *Akbari, *Bailey, *Bell, *Bowling, *Briggs, *Campbell, *Gardenhire, *Gilmore, *Haile, *Hensley, *Jackson, *Johnson, *Kelsey, *Kyle, *Massey, *McNally, *Niceley, *Pody, *Powers, *Reeves, *Roberts, *Rose, *Southerland, *Stevens, *Walley, *Watson, *White, *Yager, *Yarbro.

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 988** -- Memorials, Sports - Signal Mountain High School, State Duals Wrestling Title. by *Watson.

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 989** -- Memorials, Professional Achievement - Kim Baker, 40 Under 40. by *Haile.

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***Senate Joint Resolution No. 990** -- Memorials, Sports - Pekka Rinne. by *Campbell, *Akbari, *Yarbro.

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 992** -- Memorials, Recognition - Shannon Jarman, 2020 Tennessee Master Logger of the Year. by *Roberts.

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 994** -- Memorials, Death - Dr. Donald Ross Webb. by *Jackson.

RESOLUTIONS LYING OVER

On motion, the resolution listed was referred to the appropriate Committee:

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 776** -- Naming and Designating - "Certified Government Financial Manager Month," March 2022. by *Roberts.

House Naming & Designating Committee

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

On motion, the following bills were introduced and passed first consideration:

***House Bill No. 2888** -- Bradford - Subject to local approval, increases the term of mayor from two to four years; authorizes the board of mayor and aldermen to appoint a city administrator. - Amends Chapter 38 of the Private Acts of 1985; as amended. by *Halford.

House Bill No. 2889 -- McKenzie - Subject to local approval, deletes provision establishing wards within the City of McKenzie and makes related changes; changes "Councilman" to "Councilperson" in various provisions. - Amends Chapter 128 of the Private Acts of 1990; as amended. by *Darby.

***House Bill No. 2890** -- Coffee County - Subject to local approval, authorizes the legislative body of Coffee County to impose an entertainment event fee on the sale and distribution of tickets to events in the county with an expected attendance of 500 persons or more. by *Bricken.

House Bill No. 2891 -- Scotts Hill - Subject to local approval, creates the position of general manager for the town; extends the terms of office for mayor and aldermen from two years to four years, beginning with the August 2022 election. - Amends Chapter 105 of the Private Acts of 2004; as amended. by *Haston.

House Bill No. 2892 -- Montgomery County - Subject to local approval, authorizes the county legislative body to set salaries for general sessions judges to be compensated at an amount equal to the salaries set for chancery and circuit court judges; the legislative body is authorized to set such salaries by private act in accordance with state law. - Amends Chapter 232 of the Private Acts of 1953; as amended. by *Johnson C, *Reedy, *Hodges.

***House Bill No. 2893** -- Sumner County - Subject to local approval, repeals the authority of the county to approve the creation and expansion of private cemeteries, with such authority to be exercised by the board of zoning appeals, the planning commission and in accordance with

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existing state law. - Amends amend Chapter 30 of the Private Acts of 1953; as amended. by *Lamberth.

***House Bill No. 2894** -- Hamilton County - Subject to local approval, increases the membership of the Hamilton County board of education from nine members to 11 members. - Amends Chapter 475 of the Private Acts of 1917; as amended. by *Hazlewood.

SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED

On motion, the Senate Bills listed below, transmitted to the House, were held on the Clerk's desk pending third consideration of the companion House Bill as noted:

***Senate Bill No. 1658** -- Springfield - Subject to local approval, reduces the number of readings required for the passage of ordinances by the board of mayor and aldermen from three to two; raises the monetary limit on purchases that do not require competitive bidding from \$4,000 to \$25,000. - Amends Chapter 158 of the Private Acts of 1927; as amended and rewritten. by *Roberts. (HB2856 by *Kumar)

***Senate Bill No. 1670** -- Local Education Agencies - As introduced, requires that all school personnel, instead of only teachers, be trained at least once every three years on the detection, intervention, prevention, and treatment of human trafficking in which the victim is a child. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Gardenhire, *Crowe. (HB2341 by *Carringer)

Senate Bill No. 1680 -- Estates - As introduced, authorizes a probate court or chancery court to appoint a public receiver to determine and submit a recommendation to the court on the need for a temporary or permanent receiver over an estate; authorizes the court, upon a hearing on the report, to appoint a receiver with such powers as are necessary, consistent with those extended to receivers in absentees' estates. - Amends TCA Title 30. by *Gardenhire. (*HB1665 by *Smith)

Senate Bill No. 1686 -- Alcoholic Beverages - As introduced, creates a common carrier license to be issued by the alcoholic beverage commission to a person, firm, or corporation that transports goods for a fee and maintains a regularly established schedule of service within this state to transport wine from a winery direct shipper licensee or a fulfillment house licensee to residents of this state. - Amends TCA Title 57. by *Briggs. (*HB1688 by *Holsclaw)

***Senate Bill No. 1697** -- Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the board of examiners for nursing home administrators to June 30, 2027. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 63, Chapter 16. by *Roberts, *Watson. (HB1778 by *Ragan)

***Senate Bill No. 1700** -- Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the bureau of TennCare within the department of finance and administration to June 30, 2026. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 71. by *Roberts, *Crowe. (HB1781 by *Ragan)

***Senate Bill No. 1705** -- Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the department of agriculture to June 30, 2026; requires the department to report back to the commerce, labor, transportation and agriculture joint evaluation committee by December 31, 2022, to update the committee on its progress in addressing the findings set forth in the August 2021 performance audit report. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 4, Chapter 3. by *Roberts, *Crowe. (HB1786 by *Ragan)

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***Senate Bill No. 1713** -- Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the housing development agency, board of directors to June 30, 2027. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 13, Chapter 23, Part 1. by *Roberts, *Crowe. (HB1794 by *Ragan)

***Senate Bill No. 1717** -- Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the local government planning advisory committee to June 30, 2023. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29; Title 4, Chapter 3, Part 7; Title 6, Chapter 58; Title 11; Title 13, Chapter 3, Part 1 and Title 67, Chapter 5. by *Roberts. (HB1798 by *Ragan)

***Senate Bill No. 1718** -- Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the pest control advisory board to June 30, 2026. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 62, Chapter 21. by *Roberts. (HB1799 by *Ragan)

***Senate Bill No. 1719** -- Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the polysomnography professional standards committee to June 30, 2027. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 63, Chapter 31. by *Roberts. (HB1800 by *Ragan)

***Senate Bill No. 1733** -- Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the Tennessee fish and wildlife commission to June 30, 2026. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 70. by *Roberts, *Watson. (HB1814 by *Ragan)

***Senate Bill No. 1742** -- Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the Tennessee sports hall of fame to June 30, 2026. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 4, Chapter 3, Part 54. by *Roberts, *Crowe. (HB1823 by *Ragan)

***Senate Bill No. 1751** -- Law Enforcement - As introduced, authorizes a representative of the agency of government in which a peace officer served at the time of the officer's death to receive the Three Stars of Tennessee Award on the officer's behalf, provided there are no other surviving next of kin to receive the award; authorizes the commissioner of safety, in collaboration with the homeland security council, to promulgate rules regarding the selection and administration of the award. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 1, Part 5. by *Massey. (HB1734 by *Russell)

Senate Bill No. 1752 -- Disabled Persons - As introduced, replaces the phrase "deaf and dumb" with "deaf or hard of hearing" wherever it may appear in Tennessee Code Annotated. - Amends TCA Title 66, Chapter 23. by *Massey, *Gardenhire, *Campbell, *Powers, *Yarbro. (*HB1670 by *Jernigan, *Whitson, *Terry, *Marsh, *Sexton C)

Senate Bill No. 1793 -- Bail, Bail Bonds - As introduced, requires a court to revoke bail immediately, notwithstanding sentencing hearings, motions for a new trial, or related post-guilt determination hearings, for a defendant who is convicted of continuous sexual abuse of a child. - Amends TCA Title 40, Chapter 11, Part 1. by *Stevens. (*HB1766 by *Howell, *Hardaway, *Moody, *Beck, *Sexton J, *Lamberth, *Curcio, *Farmer, *Sherrell, *Griffey, *White)

***Senate Bill No. 1868** -- Insurance Companies, Agents, Brokers, Policies - As introduced, makes changes to the definition of "travel insurance" and related terms; requires a travel insurer to pay premium taxes on travel insurance premiums paid by certain policyholders; makes other changes related to travel insurance. - Amends TCA Title 56. by *Yager. (HB1925 by *Boyd)

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***Senate Bill No. 1934** -- Cemeteries - As introduced, specifies that a trustee for an improvement care trust fund may establish a separate trust for each individual cemetery or cemetery company, or a master trust for multiple cemetery companies; specifies that a trustee for pre-need cemetery contracts may establish a separate trust fund for each contract, a single trust fund for all contracts written by an individual cemetery, or a single trust fund for all contracts written by multiple cemetery companies; makes other changes related to the establishment and management of an improvement care trust fund or a trust fund for a pre-need cemetery contract. - Amends TCA Title 35, Chapter 14 and Title 46, Chapter 1, Part 2. by *Jackson. (HB2352 by *Garrett)

**CAPTION BILLS REFERRED
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Pursuant to **Rule No. 47**, the following Caption Bills 2246, 2267, 2346, 2554, 2618, 2801 and 2810 held on the Clerk's desk were referred to the following Committees:

***House Bill No. 2246** -- Economic and Community Development, Dept. of -- House Commerce Committee

***House Bill No. 2267** -- Auctions and Auctioneers -- House Commerce Committee

***House Bill No. 2346** -- Utilities, Utility Districts -- House Commerce Committee

***House Bill No. 2554** -- Firearms and Ammunition -- House Civil Justice Committee

***House Bill No. 2618** -- Landlord and Tenant -- House Commerce Committee

***House Bill No. 2801** -- Disabled Persons -- House Health Committee

***House Bill No. 2810** -- Real Property -- House Criminal Justice Committee

**CAPTION BILLS REFERRED
February 16, 2022**

Pursuant to **Rule No. 47**, the following Caption Bills 499, 819, 2149, 2188, 2223, 2309, 2467, 2486, 2519, 2596, 2663 and 2666 held on the Clerk's desk were referred to the following Committees:

***House Bill No. 499** -- Election Laws -- House Local Government Committee

***House Bill No. 819** -- Alcoholic Beverages -- House State Government Committee

***House Bill No. 2149** -- Regional Authorities and Special Districts -- House Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee

***House Bill No. 2188** -- Schools, Charter -- House Education Instruction Committee

***House Bill No. 2223** -- Boats, Boating -- House Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee

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***House Bill No. 2309** -- State Government -- House State Government Committee

***House Bill No. 2467** -- Taxes, Real Property -- House Local Government Committee

***House Bill No. 2486** -- Health Care -- House Health Committee

***House Bill No. 2519** -- Purchasing and Procurement -- House Local Government Committee

***House Bill No. 2596** -- Highways, Roads and Bridges -- House Civil Justice Committee

***House Bill No. 2663** -- Mental Health & Substance Abuse Services, Dept. of -- House Civil Justice Committee

***House Bill No. 2666** -- Textbooks -- House Education Instruction Committee

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES

The committees that met on **February 15, 2022**, reported the following:

COMMERCE COMMITTEE

The Commerce Committee recommended for passage: House Bills Nos. 1867, 1946 and 1727, also House Bill No. 1652 with amendments. Under the rules, each was transmitted to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

It further recommended that the following be referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee: House Bill No. 170 with amendments. Pursuant to **Rule No. 72**, each was referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee.

FINANCE, WAYS, AND MEANS COMMITTEE

The Finance, Ways, and Means Committee recommended for passage: House Bill No. 1685. Under the rules, each was transmitted to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

INSURANCE COMMITTEE

The Insurance Committee transmitted the following to the Government Operations Committee: House Bill No. 1925.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT COMMITTEE

The Local Government Committee recommended for passage: House Bills Nos. 1709, 1732, 1693, 1704, 1864 and 1858, also House Bill No. 105 with amendments. Under the rules, each was transmitted to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

STATE GOVERNMENT COMMITTEE

The State Government Committee recommended for passage: House Joint Resolution No. 652. Under the rules, each was transmitted to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

It further recommended that the following be referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee: House Bill No. 1979. Pursuant to **Rule No. 72**, each was referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee.

TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE

The Transportation Committee recommended for passage: House Bill No. 1651 with amendments. Under the rules, each was transmitted to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES

The committees that met on **February 16, 2022**, reported the following:

CIVIL JUSTICE COMMITTEE

The Civil Justice Committee recommended for passage: House Bills Nos. 2046 and 1666, also House Bill No. 1866 with amendments. Under the rules, each was transmitted to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

It further recommended that the following be referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee: House Bill No. 1832. Pursuant to **Rule No. 72**, each was referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee.

CRIMINAL JUSTICE COMMITTEE

The Criminal Justice Committee recommended for passage: House Bill No. 1963, also House Bills Nos. 1834 and 563 with amendments. Under the rules, each was transmitted to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

It further recommended that the following be referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee: House Bills Nos. 1833 and 2098, also House Bills Nos. 1767 and 1025 with amendments. Pursuant to **Rule No. 72**, each was referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee.

EDUCATION ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE

The Education Administration Committee recommended for passage: House Bill No. 2019, also House Bill No. 1848 with amendments. Under the rules, each was transmitted to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

HEALTH COMMITTEE

The Health Committee recommended for passage: House Bill No. 1956. Under the rules, each was transmitted to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

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It further recommended that the following be referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee: House Bills Nos. 2027 and 1981. Pursuant to **Rule No. 72**, each was referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee.

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The committees that met on **February 17, 2022**, reported the following:

COMMITTEE ON CALENDAR AND RULES

The Calendar and Rules Committee met and set the following bills on the **Regular Calendar** for **February 24, 2022**: House Bills Nos. 1754, 1753, 1838, 1693, 1685, 1709, 105, 1798, 1651, 1766, 1652, 1763, and 1867.

The committee also set the following bill on the **Regular Calendar** for **February 28, 2022**: House Joint Resolution No. 652.

It further reports that it set the following bills and resolutions on the **Consent Calendar** for **February 24, 2022**: House Bills Nos. 1773, 1786, 1792, 1795, 1796, 1797, 1799, 1801, 1802, 1807, 1810, 1812, 1816, 1822, 1823, 1727, 1762, 1864, 1670, 1858 and 1946.

The committee transmitted the following to the Government Operations Committee: House Bill No. 1781.

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***House Joint Resolution No. 810** -- Memorials, Death - Ben Lones Greene. by *Moon, *Ragan, *Whitson.

***House Joint Resolution No. 811** -- Memorials, Recognition - Carl Perkins Center, 40th anniversary. by *Gant, *Sparks.

***House Joint Resolution No. 812** -- Memorials, Recognition - Dr. Farris Beasley, Governor's Volunteer Stars Award. by *Marsh.

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 997** -- Memorials, Recognition - Buddy's Bar-b-q, 50th anniversary. by *Massey, *Briggs, *McNally, *Bell, *Gardenhire, *Watson, *Yager.

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Pursuant to **Rule No. 50**, Rep. Zachary moved that all House Bills having companion Senate Bills and are on the Clerk's desk be conformed and substituted for the appropriate House Bill, all Senate Joint Resolutions confirming appointments on the Clerk's desk be substituted for House Joint Resolutions confirming the same appointments, all Senate and House Bills on the Consent Calendar be passed on third and final consideration, all House Resolutions and House Joint Resolutions be adopted, and all Senate Joint Resolutions on the Consent Calendar be concurred in, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes 93
Noes 0

Representatives voting aye were: Alexander, Baum, Beck, Boyd, Bricken, Byrd, Calfee, Campbell S, Camper, Carringer, Casada, Cepicky, Chism, Clemmons, Cochran, Crawford, Curcio, Darby, Dixie, Doggett, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Freeman, Gant, Garrett, Griffey, Grills, Hakeem, Halford, Hall, Hardaway, Haston, Hawk, Hazlewood, Helton, Hicks G, Hicks T, Hodges, Holsclaw, Howell, Hulsey, Hurt, Jernigan, Johnson C, Johnson G, Keisling, Kumar, Lafferty, Lamar, Lamberth, Leatherwood, Littleton, Love, Lynn, Mannis, Marsh, McKenzie, Miller, Mitchell, Moon, Ogles, Parkinson, Powell, Powers, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rudd, Rudder, Russell, Sexton J, Shaw, Sherrell, Smith, Sparks, Stewart, Terry, Thompson, Todd, Towns, Travis, Vaughan, Vital, Warner, Weaver, White, Whitson, Williams, Windle, Wright, Zachary, Mr. Speaker Sexton--93

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

MESSAGE CALENDAR

HOUSE ACTION ON SENATE AMENDMENTS

***House Bill No. 411** -- Election Laws - As introduced, expands the period of time before an election during which this state or a local government is prohibited from regulating certain political or campaign signs or posters on private property from "60 days before a general election" to "60 days before the first day of voting begins pursuant to the provisions governing early voting for a general election". - Amends TCA Section 2-7-143. by *Jernigan, *Stewart. (SB515 by *Briggs)

Senate Amendment No. 2

AMEND House Bill No. 411 by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 2-7-143(b), is amended by deleting the following language:

(b) Notwithstanding any law to the contrary, during the period beginning sixty (60) days before an election until the day after the next subsequent general election:

and substituting instead:

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(b) Notwithstanding any law to the contrary, during the period beginning sixty (60) days before the first day voting begins pursuant to § 2-6-102(a)(1) for an election until the first day after voting ends for such election:

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 2-7-143(b)(2), is amended by deleting the following language:

A homeowners' association may adopt reasonable covenants, conditions, restrictions, or rules with respect to the placement of political or campaign posters or signs placed on homeowner association common space and private property maintained by the owner or resident

and substituting instead:

A homeowners' association may adopt reasonable covenants, conditions, restrictions, or rules with respect to the placement and removal of political or campaign posters or signs placed on homeowner association common space and private property maintained by the owner or resident

SECTION 3. This act takes effect on July 1, 2022, the public welfare requiring it.

Rep. Jernigan moved that the House concur in Senate Amendment No. 2 to **House Bill No. 411**, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	93
Noes	0

Representatives voting aye were: Alexander, Baum, Beck, Boyd, Bricken, Byrd, Calfee, Campbell S, Camper, Carringer, Casada, Cepicky, Chism, Clemmons, Cochran, Crawford, Curcio, Darby, Dixie, Doggett, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Freeman, Gant, Garrett, Griffey, Grills, Hakeem, Halford, Hall, Hardaway, Haston, Hawk, Hazlewood, Helton, Hicks G, Hicks T, Hodges, Holsclaw, Howell, Hulsey, Hurt, Jernigan, Johnson C, Johnson G, Keisling, Kumar, Lafferty, Lamar, Lamberth, Leatherwood, Littleton, Love, Lynn, Mannis, Marsh, McKenzie, Miller, Mitchell, Moon, Ogles, Parkinson, Powell, Powers, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rudd, Rudder, Russell, Sexton J, Shaw, Sherrell, Smith, Sparks, Stewart, Terry, Thompson, Todd, Towns, Travis, Vaughan, Vital, Warner, Weaver, White, Whitson, Williams, Windle, Wright, Zachary, Mr. Speaker Sexton--93

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

HOUSE ACTION ON SENATE AMENDMENTS

***House Bill No. 211** -- Education - As introduced, extends eligibility for the work-based learning student grant program to include students enrolled in a middle college program. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 11, Part 9. by *Carringer, *Ragan. (SB520 by *Briggs, *Akbari, *Crowe, *Yarbro)

Senate Amendment No. 1

AMEND House Bill No. 211 by deleting Section 2 and substituting instead the following:

SECTION 2. This act takes effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it, and applies to the 2022-2023 school year and each school year thereafter.

Rep. Carringer moved that the House concur in Senate Amendment No. 1 to **House Bill No. 211**, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes 91
Noes..... 0

Representatives voting aye were: Alexander, Baum, Beck, Boyd, Byrd, Calfee, Campbell S, Camper, Carringer, Casada, Cepicky, Chism, Clemmons, Cochran, Crawford, Curcio, Darby, Dixie, Doggett, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Freeman, Gant, Garrett, Griffey, Grills, Hakeem, Halford, Hall, Hardaway, Haston, Hawk, Hazlewood, Helton, Hicks G, Hicks T, Hodges, Howell, Hulsey, Hurt, Jernigan, Johnson C, Johnson G, Keisling, Kumar, Lafferty, Lamar, Lamberth, Leatherwood, Littleton, Love, Lynn, Mannis, Marsh, McKenzie, Miller, Mitchell, Moon, Ogles, Parkinson, Powell, Powers, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rudd, Rudder, Russell, Sexton J, Shaw, Sherrell, Smith, Sparks, Stewart, Terry, Thompson, Todd, Towns, Travis, Vaughan, Vital, Warner, Weaver, White, Whitson, Williams, Windle, Wright, Zachary, Mr. Speaker Sexton--91

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

BILLS WITHDRAWN

On motion of Rep. Grills, **House Joint Resolution No. 842** was withdrawn from the House.

On motion of Rep. Mannis, **House Bill No. 2552** was recalled from the Commerce Committee and withdrawn from the House.

RULES SUSPENDED

Rep. Lamberth moved that the rules be suspended in order to allow **House Bill No. 2304** to be heard in the Banking and Consumer Affairs Subcommittee next week, which motion prevailed.

RULES SUSPENDED

Rep. Lamberth moved that the rules be suspended for the immediate consideration of Senate Joint Resolution No. 1086 out of order, which motion prevailed.

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 1086** -- General Assembly, Recess & Reconvene - Recesses 112th General Assembly from Thursday, February 17, 2022, until Thursday, February 24, 2022. by *Johnson.

On motion of Rep. Lamberth, the resolution was concurred in.

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

PRESENT IN CHAMBER

Rep. Moody was recorded as being present in the Chamber.

SPONSORS ADDED

Under **Rule No. 43**, the following members were permitted to add their names as sponsors as indicated below, the prime sponsor of each having agreed to such addition:

House Bill No. 1201 Reps. Williams and Hazlewood as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 1766 Rep. White as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1881 Reps. Crawford, Sherrell, Rudder, Hulsey, Doggett, Littleton, Alexander, Vital, Carringer, Haston, Powers, Lynn, Smith, Russell, Farmer, Bricken, Calfee, Baum, Faison, C. Johnson, Holsclaw, Windle, T. Hicks, Ragan, Cepicky, Keisling, Howell, Hawk, Garrett, Curcio and Lamberth as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 1898 Reps. Byrd, Hall, Hurt, J. Sexton, Doggett and Todd as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 1915 Reps. Sherrell, J. Sexton, Keisling and Hawk as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 1979 Reps. Calfee, T. Hicks, Ogles, Littleton, Byrd, Thompson, Sherrell, Moon, Hawk, Eldridge, Windle, Ramsey, Hurt, J. Sexton and Ragan as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 2050 Rep. Cepicky as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2112 Rep. Cepicky as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2121 Rep. Cepicky as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2126 Rep. Sherrell as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2128 Rep. Cepicky as prime sponsor.

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House Bill No. 2148 Reps. Carringer, Gillespie, Eldridge, Alexander, Ramsey, Rudder, Byrd, Hall, Leatherwood, Cochran, Hakeem and Hurt as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 2203 Rep. Cepicky as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2233 Rep. Rudder as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2321 Reps. Curcio and Sherrell as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 2409 Reps. Haston, Carringer, Hakeem, Helton, Kumar, T. Hicks, Jernigan, Warner, Powers, Holsclaw, Clemmons, Williams, Smith, Darby, Russell, Zachary, Towns, Campbell, Beck, Thompson and Love as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 2486 Rep. Smith as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2567 Rep. Hardaway as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2572 Rep. Sherrell as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2761 Rep. Sherrell as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2850 Reps. Lamberth, Faison, J. Sexton, Wright, Eldridge, Byrd, Mitchell, Reedy, Mannis, Helton, Hodges, Whitson, Howell, Terry, G. Hicks, Leatherwood, Travis and Gant as prime sponsors.

SPONSORS WITHDRAWN

On Motion, Rep. Helton withdrew as sponsor of **House Bill No. 2233**.

**SIGNED
February 17, 2022**

The Speaker announced that he had signed the following: House Bills Nos. 1731 and 1844.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

**ENGROSSED BILLS
February 17, 2022**

MR. SPEAKER: The following bills have been examined, engrossed and are ready for transmission to the Senate: House Joint Resolutions Nos. 810, 811 and 812;

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE
February 17, 2022

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 997 and 1086; For the signature of the Speaker.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

SIGNED
February 17, 2022

The Speaker announced that he had signed the following: Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 997 and 1086.

TAMMY LETZLER, Chief Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE
February 17, 2022

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the House, House Joint Resolutions Nos. 744, 787, 788 and 790; concurred in by the Senate.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE
February 17, 2022

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, Senate Bills Nos. 503 and 1824; passed by the Senate.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

***Senate Bill No. 503** -- Finance and Administration, Dept. of - As introduced, requires the department to pay, or cause to be paid, claims for reimbursements for eligible health-related or medical assistance services provided by LEAs pursuant to an eligible student's IEP and makes other related changes. - Amends TCA Title 49 and Title 63. by *Lundberg, *Yager, *Haile, *Rose, *Stevens. (HB753 by *White)

Senate Bill No. 1824 -- Alcoholic Beverages - As introduced, designates the stadium for the Nashville Soccer Club as a sports authority facility for purposes of consumption of alcoholic beverages on the premises. - Amends TCA Section 57-4-102. by *Yarbro, *Gilmore. (*HB1685 by *Williams)

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MR. SPEAKER: Your Chief Engrossing Clerk begs leave to report that we have carefully compared House Joint Resolutions Nos. 744, 787, 788 and 790; and find same correctly enrolled and ready for the signatures of the Speakers.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

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The Speaker announced that he had signed the following: House Joint Resolutions Nos. 744, 787, 788 and 790.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

ENROLLED BILLS
February 17, 2022

MR. SPEAKER: Your Chief Engrossing Clerk begs leave to report that we have carefully compared House Bills Nos. 211 and 411; and find same correctly enrolled and ready for the signatures of the Speakers.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR
February 17, 2022

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed by the Governor to return herewith: House Joint Resolutions Nos. 769, 770, 771, 772 and 773; with his approval.

KATELIN BROWN for JONATHAN SKRMETTI, Chief Counsel to the Governor

ROLL CALL

The roll call was taken with the following results:

Present..... 93

Representatives present were Alexander, Baum, Beck, Boyd, Bricken, Byrd, Calfee, Campbell S, Camper, Carringer, Casada, Cepicky, Chism, Clemmons, Cochran, Crawford, Curcio, Darby, Dixie, Doggett, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Freeman, Gant, Garrett, Griffey, Grills, Hakeem, Halford, Hall, Hardaway, Haston, Hawk, Hazlewood, Helton, Hicks G, Hicks T, Hodges, Holsclaw, Howell, Hulsey, Hurt, Jernigan, Johnson C, Johnson G, Keisling, Kumar, Lafferty, Lamar, Lamberth, Leatherwood, Littleton, Love, Lynn, Mannis, Marsh, McKenzie, Miller, Mitchell, Moon, Ogles, Parkinson, Powell, Powers, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rudd, Rudder, Russell, Sexton J, Shaw, Sherrell, Smith, Sparks, Stewart, Terry, Thompson, Todd, Towns, Travis, Vaughan, Vital, Warner, Weaver, White, Whitson, Williams, Windle, Wright, Zachary, Mr. Speaker Sexton -- 93

RECESS

On motion of Rep. Gant, pursuant to **Senate Joint Resolution No. 1086** the House stood in recess until 9:00 a.m., Thursday, February 24, 2022.